Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of the claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

<u>Listing of Claims</u>:

Claim 1 (canceled).

Claim 2 (Previously Presented): The multiple trolley container crane according to claim 11, wherein respective cylinders or telescoping cylinders are disposed on each trolley as the integrated lifting system.

Claim 3 (Previously Presented): The multiple trolley container crane according to claim 11, wherein respective racks with gear wheels or spokes are disposed on each trolley as the integrated lifting system.

Claim 4 (Previously Presented): The multiple trolley container crane according to claim 11, wherein the trolleys are disposed, one behind the other, on at least one of the upper trolley track and the lower trolley track.

Claim 5 (Previously Presented) The multiple trolley container crane according to claim 4, further comprising a plurality of track connections laterally disposed between the upper and lower trolley tracks.

Claim 6 (Previously Presented): The multiple trolley container crane according to claim 11, wherein a respective deployable power supply is disposed on each trolley on contact lines along the trolley tracks.

Claim 7 (Currently Amended): The multiple trolley container crane according to claim 11, wherein <u>said at least one</u> support surfaces for the integrated lifting system <u>are</u> <u>is</u> disposed next to the tracks.

Claim 8 (Previously Presented) The multiple trolley container crane according to claim 11, wherein a plurality of storage units are built on each trolley, for lifting and lowering each of said plurality of trolleys.

Claim 9 (Previously Presented): The multiple trolley container crane according to claim 11, wherein lifting and lowering of containers is controlled via radio control from the

crane operator's cab or from another location.

Claim 10 (Previously Presented) The multiple trolley container crane according to claim 11, wherein individual trolleys or a plurality of trolleys can be moved on the trolley tracks, individually or in groups.

Claim 11 (Currently Amended): A multiple trolley container crane comprising:

- (a) at least upper and lower trolley tracks extending substantially parallel to each other;
- b) at least one support surface disposed below said lower
 trolley tracks;
- (b) c) a plurality of trolleys for traveling on the trolley tracks, each trolley having laterally deployable and retractable running wheels, a driving device, and an integrated lifting system for supporting the trolley on or beside the trolley tracks and enabling the trolley to pass from the lower trolley track to the upper trolley track and vice versa such that when at least one of said plurality of trolleys moves from said lower trolley

tracks to said upper trolley tracks said at least one trolley is positioned beside said upper trolley tracks, and wherein said at least one of said plurality of trolleys moves from said upper trolley tracks to said lower trolley tracks, said at least one trolley is positioned beside said lower trolley tracks wherein said integrated lifting system is configured to lift a tolley above at least one of said upper tracks and said lower tracks by contacting said at least one support surface.

- 12.(Previously Presented) The multiple trolley container crane as in claim 11, wherein said laterally deployable and retractable running wheels extend laterally in an axial and horizontal manner.
- 13. (Previously Presented) The multiple trolley container crane as in claim 11, wherein said integrated lifting system is in the form of vertically orientated telescoping cylinders.